

Passed by the House on April 23, 2015: Yeas 139, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting;
passed by the Senate on May 23, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 16, 2015.

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**DESIGNATION OF SPUR 63 IN GREGG COUNTY AS THE
TEXAS RANGER GLENN ELLIOTT MEMORIAL HIGHWAY**

CHAPTER 566

H.B. No. 2540

AN ACT

relating to the designation of Spur 63 in Gregg County as the Texas Ranger Glenn Elliott Memorial Highway.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 225, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 225.106 to read as follows:

Sec. 225.106. TEXAS RANGER GLENN ELLIOTT MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.
(a) Spur 63 in Gregg County between its intersection with U.S. Highway 80 and Spur 502 is designated as the Texas Ranger Glenn Elliott Memorial Highway.

(b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

(1) design and construct markers indicating the designation as the Texas Ranger Glenn Elliott Memorial Highway and any other appropriate information; and

(2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed by the House on May 12, 2015: Yeas 144, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed
by the Senate on May 22, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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**QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHING A DRIVER EDUCATION
COURSE**

CHAPTER 567

H.B. No. 2708

AN ACT

relating to the qualifications for teaching a driver education course.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 521.205(a), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The department by rule shall provide for approval of a driver education course conducted by the parent, stepparent, foster parent, legal guardian, step-grandparent, or grandparent of a person who is required to complete a driver education course to obtain a Class C license. The rules must provide that:

(1) the person conducting the course possess a valid license for the preceding three years that has not been suspended, revoked, or forfeited in the past three years for an offense that involves the operation of a motor vehicle;

(2) the student driver spend a minimum number of hours in:

(A) classroom instruction; and

(B) behind-the-wheel instruction;

(3) the person conducting the course not be convicted of:

(A) criminally negligent homicide; or

(B) driving while intoxicated; *and*

(4) ~~the person conducting the course not be disabled because of mental illness; and~~

~~[(5)]~~ the person conducting the course not have six or more points assigned to the person's driver's license under Subchapter B, Chapter 708, at the time the person begins conducting the course.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed by the House on May 5, 2015: Yeas 144, Nays 1, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 22, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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QUALIFICATIONS TO SERVE AS A PETIT JUROR

CHAPTER 568

H.B. No. 2747

AN ACT

relating to qualifications to serve as a petit juror.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 62.102, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 62.102. GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR JURY SERVICE. A person is disqualified to serve as a petit juror unless the person:

(1) is at least 18 years of age;

(2) *is a citizen of the United States;*

(3) *is a resident* ~~[citizen]~~ of this state and of the county in which the person is to serve as a juror;

(4) ~~[(3)]~~ is qualified under the constitution and laws to vote in the county in which the person is to serve as a juror;

(5) ~~[(4)]~~ is of sound mind and good moral character;

(6) ~~[(5)]~~ is able to read and write;

(7) ~~[(6)]~~ has not served as a petit juror for six days during the preceding three months in the county court or during the preceding six months in the district court;

(8) ~~[(7)]~~ has not been convicted of misdemeanor theft or a felony; and

(9) ~~[(8)]~~ is not under indictment or other legal accusation for misdemeanor theft or a felony.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.